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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Fiftieth Saturday in 1940.
(*14th December*, 1940).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday the 14th December 1940					Price of food grains in seers per and market fluctuations in price food grains		
	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1940.					
			This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.		This week Seers	Past week Seers
BANGALORE								
Bangalore(observatory)	0 54	0 09	36 60	33 97	2 63			
Hoskote ...	0 30	0 06	28 53	28 92	— 0 39			
Dodballapur ...	0 27	0 07	33 51	29 92	3 59	Rice, 2nd	6·50	6·50
Nelamangala ...	0 60	0 05	38 10	29 87	8 23	sort.		
Kankanhalli ...	1 03	0 09	35 69	30 45	5 24	Ragi	17·50	15·50
Magadi ...	1 00	0 07	31 67	32 42	— 0 75			
Channapatna ...	2 00	0 10	32 18	32 60	— 0 42	Kulthi	18·00	15·50
Anekal ...	0 75	0 07	32 62	33 05	— 0 43			
Devanhalli ...	1 01	0 12	30 30	29 08	1 22	Kadale	7·50	7·50
Closepet ...	1 06	0 07	43 77	32 35	11 42			
District average ...	0 85	0 03	34 29	31 26	3 03			
KOLAR								
Kolar ...	0 36	0 19	30 75	27 14	3 61			
Bowringpet ...	0 35	0 13	40 25	28 15	12 10			
Chintamani ...	3 14	0 13	38 00	26 38	11 62	Rice, 2nd	7·00	7·00
Mulbagal ...	0 45	0 18	33 13	29 07	4 11	sort.		
Sidlaghatta ...	0 51	0 12	39 70	28 46	11 24	Ragi	15·00	15·00
Chikballapur ...	0 54	0 12	37 17	29 85	7 32			
Bagepalli ...	0 29	0 09	28 19	25 47	2 72	Kulthi	16·00	16·00
Goribidnur ...	0 35	0 06	38 75	26 60	12 35			
Malur ...	0 60	0 10	27 17	29 47	— 2 30	Kadale	6·50	6·50
Srinivaspur ...	0 27	0 14	27 15	27 46	— 0 31			
Gudibanda ...	0 20	0 09	47 75	29 89	17 86			
District average ...	0 64	0 12	35 28	27 99	7 29			
TUMKUR								
Tumkur ...	0 82	0 05	39 12	31 97	7 15			
Madhugiri ...	0 50	0 06	29 07	26 57	2 50			
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0 75	0 08	41 48	27 18	14 30	Rice, 2nd	7·00	7·50
Sira ...	0 31	0 11	18 09	22 18	— 4 09	sort.		
Gubbi ...	0 70	0 10	41 10	28 37	12 73	Ragi	16·00	16·00
Tiptur ...	0 70	0 12	26 01	24 09	1 92			
Pavagada ...	0 44	0 06	21 72	21 15	0 57	Kulthi	20·00	18·00
Kunigal ...	1 50	0 11	34 69	30 00	4 69			
Koratagere ...	0 64	0 04	33 41	25 28	8 13	Kadale	7·00	7·00
Turuvekere ...	1 21	0 11	29 27	27 49	1 78			
District average ...	0 76	0 08	31 40	26 43	4 97			

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday the 14th December 1940						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1940							
				This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6	7
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average
	Mysore (observatory)	0	91	0	07	48	63	29	52	19	11				
	Chamarajnagar ...	0	53	0	17	37	84	26	65	11	19				
	Hunsur ...	0	09	0	18	39	62	30	90	8	72				
	Krishnarajnagar ...	1	50	0	12	25	68	26	25	— 0	57		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Heggaddevankote ...	0	00	0	21	40	01	37	64	2	37	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
	Gundlupet ...	0	40	0	22	30	05	25	74	4	31				
	Nanjangud ...	0	98	0	09	37	88	28	12	10	76	Ragi	14·00	14·00	14·00
	T.-Narsipur ...	0	32	0	09	38	25	27	38	10	87				
	Periyapatna ...	0	04	0	18	36	76	33	18	3	58	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	8·00
	District average ...	0	53	0	15	37	19	29	49	7	70	Kadale	14·00	14·00	10·00
MANDYA	Mandya (observatory)	1	95	0	13	29	26	27	15	2	11				
	Seringapatam ...	0	28	0	12	33	35	26	59	6	76	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	6·50	7·00
	Malvalli ...	0	64	0	11	35	72	26	94	8	78				
	Krishnarajpete ...	3	33	0	15	41	69	28	36	13	33				
	Nagamangala ...	1	24	0	07	33	32	27	28	6	04	Ragi	16·00	15·00	15·00
	Maddur ...	0	90	0	07	15	25	27	92	—12	67				
	French-Rocks ...	0	68	0	12	33	32	26	53	6	79	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	15·00
	District average ...	1	29	0	11	31	70	27	25	4	45	Kadale			
HASSAN	Hassan (observatory)	0	54	0	25	37	08	34	54	2	54				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	32	104	24	92	35	11	89	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	8·00
	Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	31	54	37	37	74	16	63				
	Belur ...	0	00	0	28	48	17	40	00	8	17	Ragi	16·00	14·00	17·00
	Channarayapatna ...	0	82	0	11	32	23	27	21	5	02				
	Arsikere ...	1	38	0	14	27	59	26	20	1	39	Kulthi	15·00	16·00	15·00
	Hole-Narsipur ...	0	10	0	21	29	75	27	59	2	16				
	Alur ...	0	00	0	24	55	63	42	45	13	18	Kadale	6·00	6·00	7·00
	District average ...	0	35	0	23	48	63	41	01	7	62				
SHIMOGA	Shimoga ...	0	49	0	22	31	85	32	37	— 0	52				
	Channagiri ...	0	00	0	18	42	08	29	17	13	91				
	Honnali ...	0	80	0	14	25	29	23	34	1	95	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	8·00	6·52
	Shikarpur ...	3	25	0	28	44	16	35	37	8	79				
	Scrab ...	1	00	0	23	65	01	61	02	3	99	Ragi	16·00	19·00	16·13
	Sagar ...	0	00	0	13	84	14	83	65	0	49				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	0	00	0	09	173	48	103	28	70	20	Kulthi	16·00	13·00	9·78
	Tirthahalli ...	0	20	0	20	121	69	120	77	0	92				
	Kumsi ...	0	32	0	10	40	37	40	93	— 0	56				
	District average ...	0	67	0	17	69	89	58	87	11	02				
KADUR	Chikmagalur ...	1	48	0	25	53	04	35	62	17	42				
	Kadur ...	0	09	0	22	26	80	22	85	3	95	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·00	7·00
	Tarikere ...	0	00	0	19	36	98	35	79	1	19				
	Koppa ...	0	50	0	21	139	26	116	65	22	18	Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·00
	Mudgere ...	0	25	0	19	121	88	95	37	26	51				
	Narasimharajpura ...	0	13	0	19	69	60	72	11	— 2	51	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	14·00
	Sringeri ...	2	30	0	25	172	52	146	02	26	50				
	District average ...	0	68	0	21	88	58	74	91	13	67	Kadale	7·00	7·00	7·00
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	14	0	15	33	98	24	74	6	69				
	Challakere ...	0	00	0	13	17	60	17	82	— 0	12	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·00
	Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	11	16	65	21	70	— 4	85				
	Holalkere ...	0	14	0	17	32	57	24	23	8	34	Ragi	18·00	18·00	19·00
	Davangere ...	1	30	0	15	26	96	24	62	2	34				
	Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	11	24	24	23	46	1	80	Kulthi	18·00	16·00	18·00
	Jagalur ...	0	00	0	11	28	88	23	34	5	54				
	Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	23	31	30	23	30	8	00	Cholum	16·00	16·00	17·00
	Haribar ...	0	00	0	14	23	55	20	90	2	65				
	District average ...	0	17	0	14	26	21	22	68	3	53	Kadale	7·50	7·50	7·50
	Provincial average ...	0	66	0	14	44	79	37	76	7	03				

Note—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Kulthi—(Horsegram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder; etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Ragi, avare, thogari, paddy, horsegram and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in almost all parts of the district; paddy in parts of Doddballapur, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and groundnut in parts of Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, avare, thogari, sugarcane, horsegram, hutchellu, jola, chillies and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in all the taluks of the District; paddy in Bowringpet, Chintamani, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks; groundnut in Chintamani, Mulbagal, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; same in Srinivaspur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Fodder and water are generally available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy is reported to have been sown in Koratgere Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare and thogari in all the taluks; paddy in all the taluks except Pavagada Taluk; sugarcane in all the taluks except Sira and Madhugiri Taluks; groundnuts in all the taluks except in Kunigal; kulthi in all the Taluks; castor in Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Chiknayakanhalli and Turuvekere Taluks; cholam in all the taluks except Gubbi, Kortagere, Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks and cotton in Sira and Pavagada Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in all the Taluks except Koratagere and Pavagada Taluks; paddy in Tumkur, Sira, Tiptur, Pavagada, Kortagere and Turuvekere Taluks; cholam in Turuvekere, Pavagada and Tiptur Taluks; and sugarcane in Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks are reported to have been harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

Public health is generally good except for the prevalence of Typhoid fever in Tumkur Town and Plague in some parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, Koratagere and Sira Taluks. It is reported that necessary preventive measures are reported to be being taken to check the spread of the epidemic.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Mysore, T.-Narsipur, Chamarajnagar and Nanjangud Taluks.

Thogari and ragi in Mysore, Nanjangud, Chamarajnagar, Periyapatna and T.-Narsipur Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, thogari, avare, bengalgram and coriandar.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Bengalgram in some parts of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Fodder and water are available.
Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

MANDYA.

8. The markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, paddy, horsegram, castor, thogari, and avare, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, groundnut and sugarcane in Mandya Taluk; paddy and horsegram in Seringapatam Taluk; ragi in Malvalli Taluk; ragi and paddy in Krishnarajpet Taluks; ragi in Nagamangala Taluk; sugarcane and ragi in Maddur Taluk; and paddy, ragi, horsegram and bengalgram in French-Rocks Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Fodder and water are reported to be available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

Crops sown.—It is reported that sugarcane is being sown in some villages in Belur Taluk.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy in the Taluks of Arkalgud, Belur, Chennarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur; (2) sugarcane in Arkalgud, Belur, Arsikere Taluks, and in Alur Sub-Taluk; (3) ragi in Belur and Arsikere Taluks; (4) thogari and avare in Chennarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; (5) horsegram in Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, and in Alur Sub-Taluk; (6) bengalgram in Arsikere Taluk; (7) cotton in Arsikere Taluk and other crops in the district are reported to be in good condition.

Harvest.—(1) Paddy in Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in Alur Sub-Taluk; (2) sugarcane in Hassan and Belur Taluks (3) ragi in Belur and Arsikere Taluks, are reported to be under harvest.

10. Favourable.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks except in Ganjikere Village in Alur Sub-Taluk where "Blackquarter" is reported to be prevailing. The Veterinary Department is addressed in the matter.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi, jola, in the Taluks of Shimoga, Chennagiri, Honnali and Sorab and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; togari, avare, horsegram and cotton in the Taluks of Chennagiri, and Honnali; sugarcane in all the Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds Sown.—Greengram in Shikarpur is being sown.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, in all the taluks; jola and ragi in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, and Honnali; areca in Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district except for the prevalence of "Foot and Mouth disease" in Gangavalli Village of Sorab Taluk. The Veterinary Officers are taking necessary preventive action.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane, avare and coffee in Chikmagalur Taluk ragi, avare, thogari, horsegram, castor, paddy, sugarcane, hingar jola, coriander, bengalgram and wheat in Kadur Taluk; paddy, ragi, sugarcane, and coffee, etc., in Tarikere Taluk; paddy, sugarcane, areca and coffee in Koppa Taluk; paddy, ragi, sugarcane, coffee and cardamom in Mudgere Taluk; paddy, areca and coffee in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk; paddy and areca in Sringeri Jahgir, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in some parts of Kadur Taluk; paddy, ragi, sugarcane, etc., in Tarikere Taluk; areca and paddy in Koppa Taluk; paddy, ragi and cardamom in Mudgere Taluk; paddy, areca and coffee in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk; areca and paddy in Sringeri Jahgir. The out-turn at Kadur Taluk is reported to be from Re. 0-6-0 to 0-10-0.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally fair.

Rainfal during the week has been fair in all the taluks except Tarikere Taluk.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally good, and water and fodder are available to them throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to have been well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Such as cotton, togari, castor, paddy and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.

In some places horsegram, ragi and jola are reported to have been harvested.

10. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

The prospects of the season are good and there is sufficient labour to the coolies.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except at Hiriyur where "Blackquarter" is reported to be prevalent and the local Veterinary Doctor is taking necessary measures to check the spread of the disease.

Sufficient water and fodder are available for the cattle.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated 17th December 1940.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram, at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 14th December 1940.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas						District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse-gram				Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse-gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.			Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North ...	6	8	17	8	18	0	Mandya	Mandya ...	6	0	16	0	16	0
	,, South ...	6	0	14	0	14	0		Seringapatam ...	6	0	15	8	16	0
	Hoskote ...	7	0	16	0	16	0		Malvalli ...	7	0	15	0	15	0
	Dodballapur ...	7	0	16	0	14	0		Krishnarajpete ...	7	0	15	0	15	0
	Nelamangala ...	6	8	16	0	14	0		Nagamangala ...	6	8	15	0	16	0
	Kankanhalli ...	7	0	15	0	16	0		Maddur ...	7	0	14	0	12	0
	Magadi ...	7	0	16	0	14	0		French-Rocks ...	6	12	14	0	14	0
	Channapatna ...	6	0	14	0	15	0								
	Anekal ...	5	8	16	0	16	0	Hassan	Hassan ...	6	8	16	0	15	0
	Devanhalli ...	7	0	15	0	18	0		Manjarabad ...	8	0	14	0	13	8
	Closepet ...	6	8	16	0	16	0		Arkalgud ...	9	0	16	4	14	8
									Belur ...	6	0	20	0	15	0
Kolar	Kolar ...	7	0	15	0	16	0		Channarayapatna ...	7	0	15	0	16	0
	Bowringpet ...	7	0	14	0	16	0		Arsikere ...	8	0	18	0	18	0
	Chintamani ...	7	8	15	0	15	0		Holo-Narsipur ...	7	0	18	0	16	0
	Mulbagal ...	7	8	15	0	15	0		Alur ...	10	0	18	0	14	0
	Sidlaghatta ...	7	8	14	0	14	0								
	Chikballapur ...	7	0	14	0	14	0	Shimoga	Shimoga ...	6	8	16	0	16	0
	Bagepalli ...	7	8	16	0	14	0		Channagiri ...	6	0	18	0	14	0
	Goribidnur ...	7	0	16	0	12	0		Honnali ...	7	8	18	0	14	0
	Malur ...	7	0	15	0	16	0		Shikarpur ...	8	0	18	0	16	0
	Srinivaspur ...	8	0	14	0	13	0		Sorab ...	7	8	18	0	14	0
	Gudibanda ...	8	0	16	0	12	0		Sagar ...	6	8	19	0	15	0
									Hosanagar ...	7	0	14	0	12	0
Tumkur	Tumkur ...	7	0	16	0	20	0		Tirthahalli ...	8	0	16	0	12	0
	Madhugiri ...	8	0	20	0	20	0		Kumsi ...	8	0	19	0	14	0
	Chiknaikanhalli ...	7	8	18		18	0								
	Sira ...	8	0	16	0	16	0	Kadur	Chikmagalur ...	8	0	18	0	14	0
	Gubbi ...	7	0	18	0	16	0		Kadur ...	6	12	18	0	16	0
	Tiptur ...	8	8	16	0	16	0		Tarikere ...	7	0	19	8	16	0
	Pavagada ...	7	0	18	0	13	0		Koppa ...	8	0	16	0	14	0
	Kunigal ...	7	0	16	0	16	0		Mudgere ...	8	0	16	0	14	0
	Koratagere ...	7	12	20	0	19	0		Narasimharajpura ...	9	0	16	0	12	0
	Turuvekere ...	7	8	17	0	16	0		Sringeri ...	10	0	14	0	12	0
Mysore	Mysore ...	7	0	14	0	14	0	Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug ...	8	0	18	0	16	0
	Chamarajnagar ...	6	0	16	0	18	0		Challakere ...	8	0	17	0	16	0
	Hunsur ...	7	0	18	0	16	0		Hiriyur ...	9	8	19	0	18	0
	Krishnarajnagar ...	...		...		...			Holalkere ...	7	0	18	0	17	0
	Heggaddevankote ...	7	8	20	0	16	0		Davangere ...	7	8	19	0	16	0
	Gundlupet ...	6	8	20	0	20	0		Molakalmuru ...	8	0	16	0	16	0
	Nanjangud ...	6	0	19	0	16	0		Jagalur ...	8	0	18	0	18	0
	T.-Narsipur ...	6	8	14	0	16	0		Hosdurga ...	7	8	19	0	19	0
	Periyapatna ...	7	0	19	0	19	0		Harihar ...	6	0	19	0	16	0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, the 17th December 1940.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.